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E.O. 11652: GDS TAGS: SNAR EC

SUBJECT: USG PRESS STATEMENT ON ARREST OF FRANCISCO ADUM

REF: QUITO 2592; STATE 080576

- 1. WE UNDERSTAND THAT A STATEMENT WAS RELEASED BY DEA APRIL 19 ON THE ARREST IN GUAYAQUIL OF FRANCISCO ADUM, AND THAT IT WAS PICKED UP BY AP, UPI AND REUTERS.
- 2. UNFORTUNATELY, THERE HAS BEEN NO PLAY AT ALL LOCALLY, POSSIBLY BECAUSE THE STORY WAS NOT CARRIED IN THE PARTICULAR SERVICES RECEIVED BY LOCAL WIRE SERVICE SUBSCRIBERS. IN ANY CASE, WE HAVE NOT RECEIVED THE BENEFITS EXPECTED TO ACCRUE LOCALLY FROM THIS STATEMENT.
- 3. I WOULD, THEREFORE, APPRECIATE ANYTHING DEPARTMENT MAY BE ABLE TO DO TO FOCUS ATTENTION ON DEA'S EXPRESSION OF INTEREST AND TO GET IT MOVED IN CHANNELS WHICH ARE ACCESSIBLE TO THE LOCAL MEDIA. BREWSTER

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